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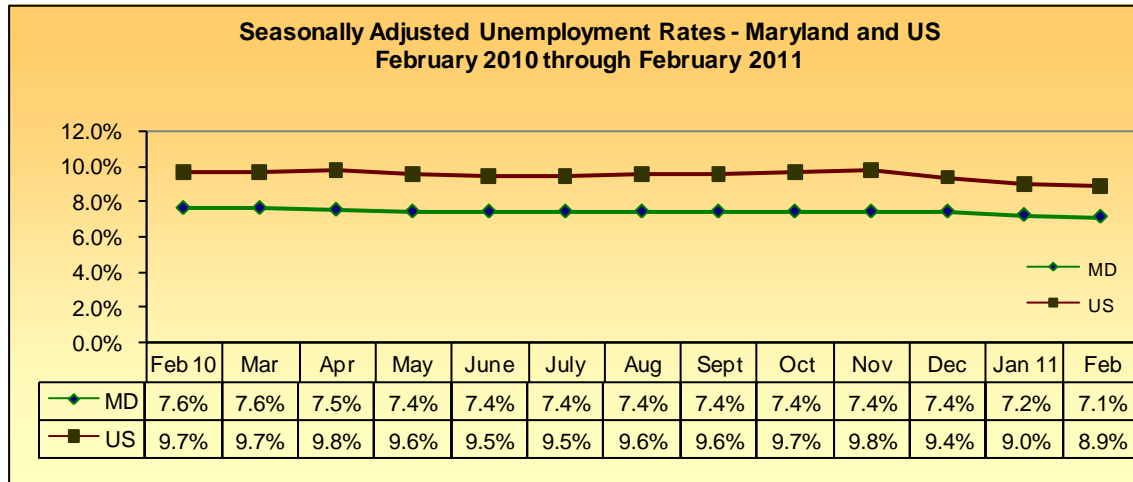
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Employment Situation – February 2011



**Civilian Labor Force, Employment, and Unemployment
By Place of Residence
February 2011**

Area	Civilian Labor Force		Employment		Unemployment		Unemployment Rate	
	Feb 2011	Jan 2011r	Feb 2011	Jan 2011r	Feb 2011	Jan 2011r	Feb 2011	Jan 2011r
Seasonally Adjusted								
Maryland	2,974,296	2,976,024	2,764,176	2,760,979	210,120	215,045	7.1	7.2
United States*	153,246,000	153,186,000	139,573,000	139,323,000	13,673,000	13,863,000	8.9	9.0
Not Seasonally Adjusted								
Maryland	2,948,571	2,956,213	2,733,479	2,734,237	215,092	221,976	7.3	7.5
Baltimore-Towson MSA	1,374,757	1,380,084	1,268,779	1,271,063	105,978	109,021	7.7	7.9
Baltimore City	271,345	273,407	243,452	243,890	27,893	29,517	10.3	10.8
Anne Arundel	277,152	277,925	258,746	259,212	18,406	18,713	6.6	6.7
Baltimore	419,495	421,165	386,192	386,888	33,303	34,277	7.9	8.1
Carroll	92,233	92,416	85,887	86,042	6,346	6,374	6.9	6.9
Harford	130,499	130,660	120,472	120,689	10,027	9,971	7.7	7.6
Howard	157,745	158,165	149,699	149,969	8,046	8,196	5.1	5.2
Queen Anne's	26,286	26,347	24,330	24,374	1,956	1,973	7.4	7.5
Washington-Arlington-Alexandria, DC-VA-MD-WV Metro Division, MD	567,449	568,707	529,163	528,975	38,286	39,732	6.7	7.0
Calvert	47,417	47,475	44,703	44,687	2,714	2,788	5.7	5.9
Charles	75,859	75,902	71,315	71,290	4,544	4,612	6.0	6.1
Prince George's	444,173	445,330	413,145	412,998	31,028	32,332	7.0	7.3
Bethesda-Frederick-Rockville Metro Div	633,585	636,967	599,428	601,436	34,157	35,531	5.4	5.6
Frederick	122,148	122,657	114,158	114,541	7,990	8,116	6.5	6.6
Montgomery	511,437	514,310	485,270	486,895	26,167	27,415	5.1	5.3
Cumberland, MD-WV MSA	49,993	49,031	45,267	44,121	4,726	4,910	9.5	10.0
Allegany	36,518	35,947	33,046	32,303	3,472	3,644	9.5	10.1
Hagerstown-Martinsburg, MD-WV MSA	117,979	118,134	105,644	105,842	12,335	12,292	10.5	10.4
Washington	67,209	67,695	60,086	60,479	7,123	7,216	10.6	10.7
Salisbury, MD MSA	62,873	61,271	56,873	55,109	6,000	6,162	9.5	10.1
Somerset	11,048	10,763	9,837	9,532	1,211	1,231	11.0	11.4
Wicomico	51,825	50,508	47,036	45,577	4,789	4,931	9.2	9.8
Balance of State	206,178	205,544	186,104	184,873	20,074	20,671	9.7	10.1
Caroline	16,268	16,228	14,704	14,615	1,564	1,613	9.6	9.9
Cecil	49,668	49,894	44,587	44,578	5,081	5,316	10.2	10.7
Dorchester	16,510	16,356	14,593	14,456	1,917	1,900	11.6	11.6
Garrett	16,978	16,844	15,510	15,295	1,468	1,549	8.6	9.2
Kent	10,553	10,500	9,635	9,522	918	978	8.7	9.3
St. Mary's	53,025	52,754	49,882	49,466	3,143	3,288	5.9	6.2
Talbot	18,267	18,139	16,727	16,558	1,540	1,581	8.4	8.7
Worcester	24,909	24,829	20,466	20,383	4,443	4,446	17.8	17.9
United States*	152,635,000	152,536,000	138,093,000	137,599,000	14,542,000	14,937,000	9.5	9.8

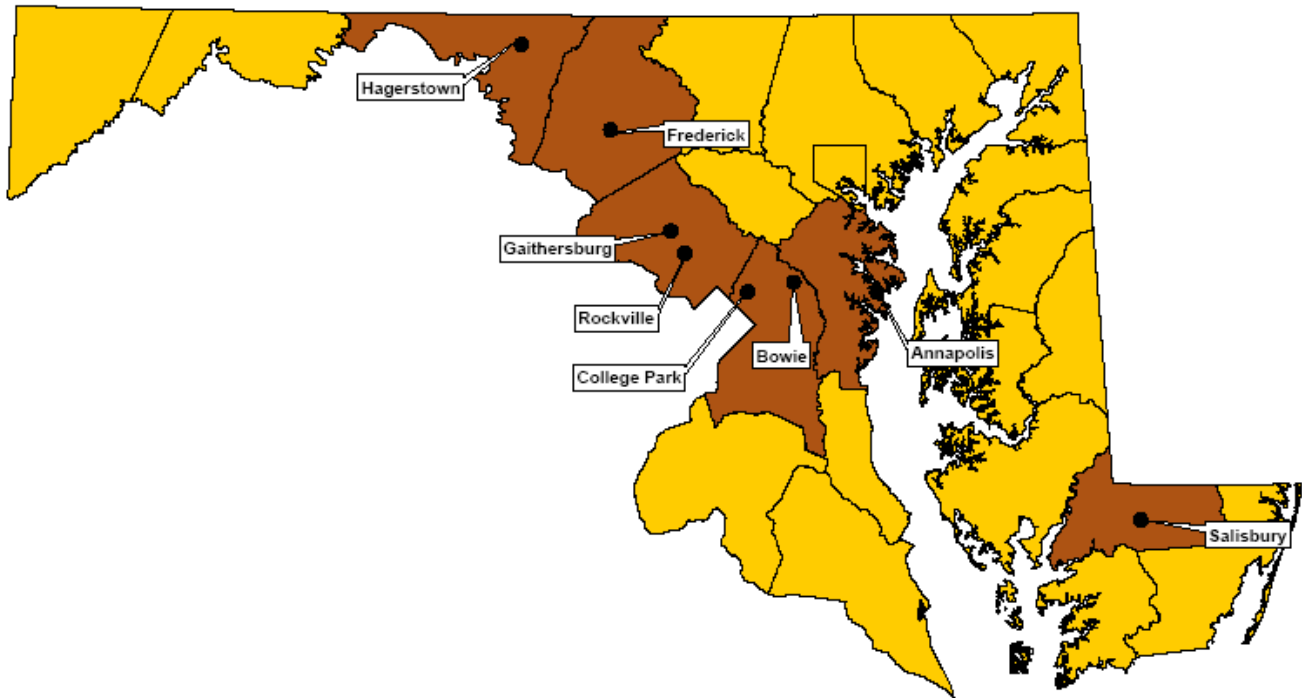
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NOTE: Figures may not add due to rounding. These are estimates relating to the week of the 12th of each month.

The count is of persons not jobs.

SOURCE: Maryland Department of Labor, Licensing and Regulation, Office of Workforce Information and Performance

City Unemployment Rates February 2011



Civilian Labor Force, Employment, and Unemployment for Select Cities By Place of Residence February 2011

Area	Civilian Labor Force		Employment		Unemployment		Unemployment Rate	
	Feb 2011	Jan 2011r	Feb 2011	Jan 2011r	Feb 2011	Jan 2011r	Feb 2011	Jan 2011r
Annapolis	20,780	20,752	19,335	19,370	1,445	1,382	7.0	6.7
Bowie	30,401	30,225	28,734	28,724	1,667	1,501	5.5	5.0
College Park	13,952	13,939	13,025	13,020	927	919	6.6	6.6
Frederick	31,964	32,076	29,707	29,806	2,257	2,270	7.1	7.1
Gaithersburg	32,822	32,758	30,984	31,087	1,838	1,671	5.6	5.1
Hagerstown	18,760	18,851	16,670	16,779	2,090	2,072	11.1	11.0
Rockville	31,620	31,653	30,047	30,148	1,573	1,505	5.0	4.8
Salisbury	14,930	14,506	13,525	13,105	1,405	1,401	9.4	9.7

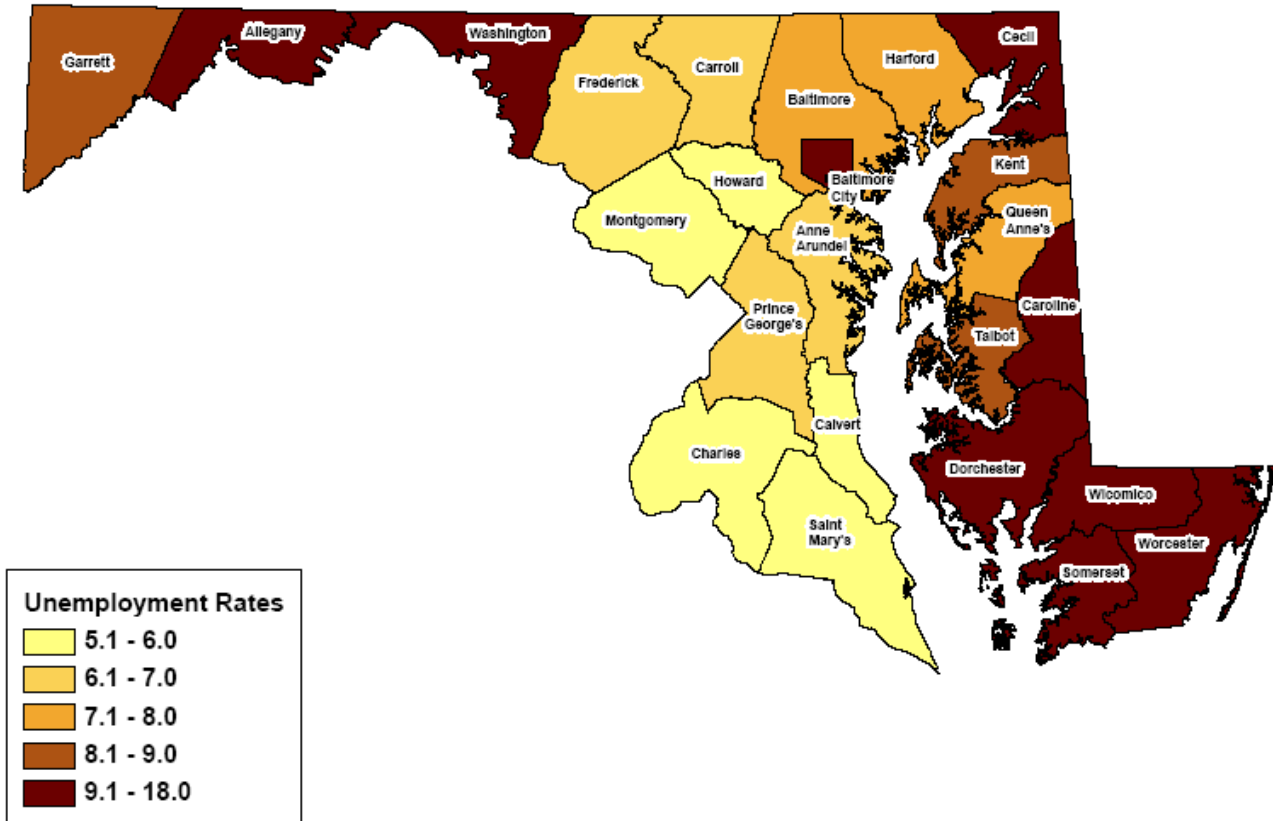
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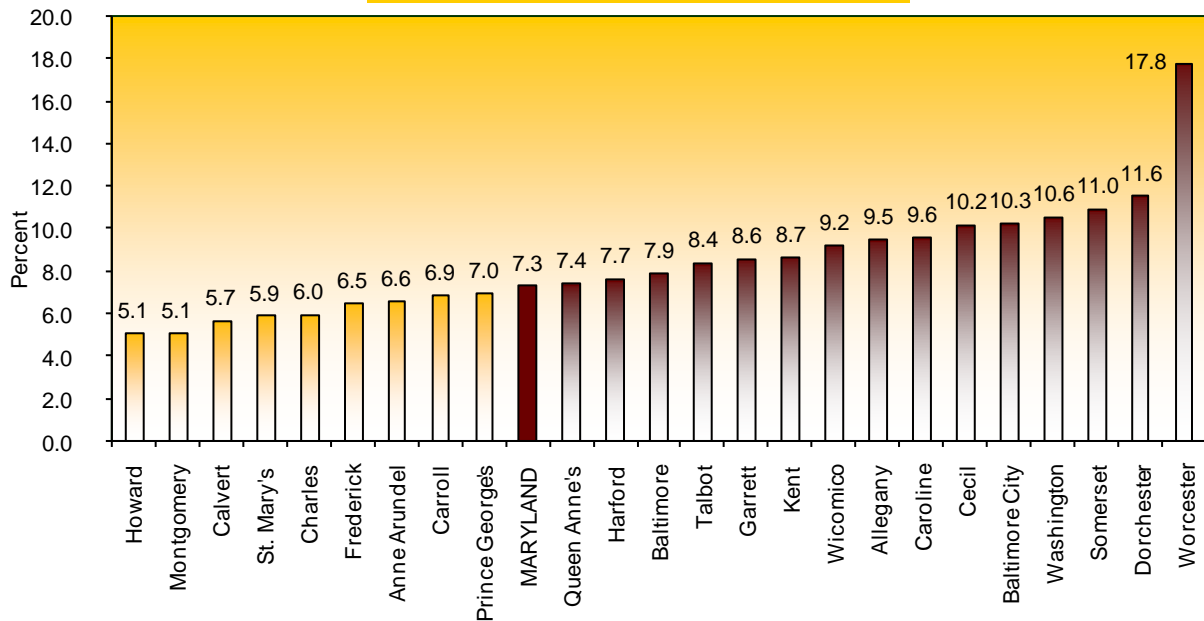
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County Unemployment Rates February 2011



Local Unemployment Ranking - February 2011



Nonagricultural Payroll Employment* By Industry
By Place of Employment (in thousands)
Seasonally Adjusted
February 2011

	Feb 2011	Jan 2011r	Feb 2010	Percent Change Feb 2010- Feb 2011
MARYLAND				
Total Nonfarm	2,516.4	2,508.3	2,473.0	1.8
Natural Resources, Mining & Construction	142.5	141.5	138.3	3.0
Manufacturing	112.5	112.5	114.5	-1.7
Durable Goods	60.3	60.3	61.2	-1.5
Nondurable Goods	52.2	52.2	53.3	-2.1
Trade, Transportation, Warehousing, Utilities	442.1	443.1	428.6	3.1
Wholesale Trade	85.4	85.5	84.8	0.7
Retail Trade	280.4	281.0	270.2	3.8
Transportation, Warehousing, & Utilities	76.3	76.6	73.6	3.7
Information	42.3	42.1	44.0	-3.9
Financial Activities	141.0	141.2	143.0	-1.4
Finance and Insurance	99.9	99.9	100.9	-1.0
Real Estate & Rental & Leasing	41.1	41.3	42.1	-2.4
Professional and Business Services	391.7	389.4	379.2	3.3
Professional, Scientific, & Technical Services	224.3	224.1	220.5	1.7
Management of Companies & Enterprises	20.0	19.9	19.6	2.0
Administrative & Support Services	147.4	145.4	139.1	6.0
Educational & Health Care & Social Assistance	401.2	401.0	392.2	2.3
Educational Services	71.1	70.6	72.7	-2.2
Health Care & Social Assistance	330.1	330.4	319.5	3.3
Leisure & Hospitality	227.2	225.8	224.3	1.3
Arts, Entertainment, & Recreation	36.2	34.6	34.1	6.2
Accommodation & Food Services	191.0	191.2	190.2	0.4
Other Services	114.9	115.3	113.5	1.2
Government	501.0	496.4	495.4	1.1
Federal Government	140.5	139.9	135.8	3.5
State Government	111.8	111.2	112.2	-0.4
Local Government	248.7	245.3	247.4	0.5
BALTIMORE-TOWSON, MD MSA				
Total Nonfarm	1,270.7	1,273.2	1,253.9	1.3
BETHESDA-FREDERICK-ROCKVILLE, MD METRO DIVISION				
Total Nonfarm	564.8	566.1	550.1	2.7
MD PORTION HAGERSTOWN-MARTINSBURG, MD-WV MSA				
Total Nonfarm	96.9	96.4	96.4	0.5
SALISBURY, MD MSA				
Total Nonfarm	53.2	51.9	51.7	2.9
BALTIMORE CITY				
Total Nonfarm	350.4	349.7	349.0	0.4
MD PORTION WASHINGTON-ARLINGTON-ALEXANDRIA, DC-VA-MD METRO DIVISION				
Total Nonfarm	379.0	375.7	370.4	2.3

*The count is of jobs, not workers. It includes full and part-time wage earners employed during the pay period including the 12th of the month. r - revised

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SOURCE: Maryland Department of Labor, Licensing and Regulation, Office of Workforce Information and Performance

Maryland Nonagricultural Payroll Employment*
By Industry By Place of Employment (in thousands)
February 2011

	Feb 2011	Jan 2011r	Feb 2010	Percent Change Feb 2010- Feb 2011
Total Nonfarm	2,467.0	2,451.1	2,423.7	1.8
Total Private	1,964.8	1,964.9	1,925.8	2.0
Goods Producing	245.9	246.2	243.8	0.9
Natural Resources, Mining & Construction	133.8	134.5	130.9	2.2
Construction of Buildings	29.5	31.1	28.8	2.4
Specialty Trade Contractors	90.7	89.8	88.8	2.1
Manufacturing	112.1	111.7	112.9	-0.7
Durable Goods	60.2	59.9	60.3	-0.2
Computer & Electronic Product Manufacturing	20.9	21.0	21.1	-0.9
Transportation Equipment Manufacturing	7.1	7.2	7.1	0.0
Non-Durable Goods	51.9	51.8	52.6	-1.3
Service-Providing	2,221.1	2,204.9	2,179.9	1.9
Private Service Providing	1,718.9	1,718.7	1,682.0	2.2
Trade, Transportation, Warehousing, Utilities	432.3	438.0	418.8	3.2
Wholesale Trade	84.3	84.1	83.7	0.7
Merchant Wholesalers, Durable Goods	43.7	44.2	42.7	2.3
Merchant Wholesalers, Nondurable Goods	26.7	26.7	27.2	-1.8
Retail Trade	272.8	277.8	262.7	3.8
Motor Vehicle & Parts Dealers	31.8	31.8	31.1	2.3
Food & Beverage Stores	64.4	63.9	61.8	4.2
Grocery Stores	55.2	55.2	53.0	4.2
Health & Personal Care Stores	16.8	17.1	17.1	-1.8
Clothing & Clothing Accessories Stores	27.0	28.5	25.5	5.9
General Merchandise Stores	48.9	51.2	47.5	2.9
Department Stores	37.0	38.7	35.7	3.6
Transportation, Warehousing, & Utilities	75.2	76.1	72.4	3.9
Utilities	10.1	9.9	9.6	5.2
Transportation & Warehousing	65.1	66.2	62.8	3.7
Truck Transportation	13.3	13.5	12.7	4.7
Information	42.0	41.7	43.6	-3.7
Telecommunications	18.8	19.1	19.0	-1.1
Financial Activities	139.3	139.8	141.8	-1.8
Finance and Insurance	99.0	99.1	100.6	-1.6
Credit Intermediation & Related Activities	44.4	44.5	46.2	-3.9
Depository Credit Intermediation	25.7	25.9	26.3	-2.3
Insurance Carriers & Related Activities	36.6	36.6	36.9	-0.8
Insurance Carriers	22.4	22.4	22.7	-1.3
Real Estate & Rental & Leasing	40.3	40.7	41.2	-2.2

Maryland Nonagricultural Payroll Employment*
By Industry By Place of Employment (in thousands)
February 2011

	Feb 2011	Jan 2011r	Feb 2010	Percent Change Feb 2010- Feb 2011
Professional and Business Services	382.2	378.9	369.4	3.5
Professional, Scientific, & Technical Services	224.3	222.1	221.0	1.5
Legal Services	17.9	17.6	18.3	-2.2
Accounting & Bookkeeping Services	19.3	17.3	19.9	-3.0
Architectural, Engineering, & Related Services	38.9	38.8	38.8	0.3
Computer Systems Design & Related Services	62.5	62.1	60.9	2.6
Management & Technical Consulting Services	32.4	33.0	32.5	-0.3
Scientific Research & Development	31.6	31.6	30.7	2.9
Management of Companies & Enterprises	19.8	19.6	19.3	2.6
Administrative & Support Services	138.1	137.2	129.1	7.0
Employment Services	39.5	36.1	33.3	18.6
Services to Buildings & Dwellings	41.8	42.4	41.0	2.0
Educational & Health Care & Social Assistance	400.5	398.8	391.5	2.3
Educational Services	72.1	69.5	73.4	-1.8
Health Care & Social Assistance	328.4	329.3	318.1	3.2
Ambulatory Health Care Services	109.8	109.8	106.0	3.6
Offices of Physicians	46.3	46.4	45.0	2.9
Hospitals	103.1	104.1	102.5	0.6
General Medical & Surgical Hospitals	95.8	96.7	95.2	0.6
Nursing & Resident Care Facilities	69.4	69.9	66.1	5.0
Nursing Care Facilities	31.0	31.2	30.9	0.3
Social Assistance	46.1	45.5	43.5	6.0
Leisure & Hospitality	209.3	208.3	205.0	2.1
Arts, Entertainment, & Recreation	29.1	28.7	27.1	7.4
Accommodation & Food Services	180.2	179.6	177.9	1.3
Accommodation	20.5	20.7	20.5	0.0
Food Services and Drinking Places	159.7	158.9	157.4	1.5
Other Services	113.3	113.2	111.9	1.3
Personal & Laundry Services	30.1	30.2	29.1	3.4
Government	502.2	486.2	497.9	0.9
Federal Government	139.6	139.7	135.0	3.4
State Government	113.8	104.5	113.6	0.2
State Government, Education	51.5	41.4	49.5	4.0
Local Government	248.8	242.0	249.3	-0.2
Local Government, Education	157.9	152.4	159.2	-0.8

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Nonagricultural Payroll Employment*
By Industry By Place of Employment (in thousands)
Baltimore-Towson, MD Metropolitan Statistical Area**
February 2011

Industry	Feb 2011	Jan 2011r	Feb 2010	Percent Change Feb 2010-Feb 2011
Total Nonfarm	1,247.8	1,242.7	1,231.4	1.3
Total Private	1,018.8	1,019.7	999.9	1.9
Goods Producing	123.1	123.6	123.1	0.0
Natural Resources, Mining & Construction	63.3	63.6	61.7	2.6
Manufacturing	59.8	60.0	61.4	-2.6
Durable Goods	33.6	33.6	34.2	-1.8
Computer & Electronic Product Manufacturing	12.2	12.3	12.3	-0.8
Transportation Equipment Manufacturing	4.2	4.2	4.0	5.0
Non-Durable Goods	26.2	26.4	27.2	-3.7
Chemical Manufacturing	6.6	6.7	6.7	-1.5
Service-Providing	1,124.7	1,119.1	1,108.3	1.5
Private Service Providing	895.7	896.1	876.8	2.2
Trade, Transportation, Warehousing, Utilities	221.9	225.3	216.1	2.7
Wholesale Trade	49.2	49.7	50.1	-1.8
Merchant Wholesalers, Durable Goods	25.1	25.3	25.3	-0.8
Merchant Wholesaler, Nondurable Goods	16.8	16.7	17.1	-1.8
Retail Trade	129.8	132.4	125.7	3.3
Food & Beverage Stores	31.0	30.8	30.1	3.0
Health & Personal Care Stores	8.6	8.7	8.8	-2.3
General Merchandise Stores	23.2	24.4	22.5	3.1
Department Stores	17.4	18.4	16.9	3.0
Transportation, Warehousing, & Utilities	42.9	43.2	40.3	6.5
Utilities	5.9	5.8	5.7	3.5
Transportation & Warehousing	37.0	37.4	34.6	6.9
Couriers & Messengers	4.4	4.5	4.1	7.3
Information	20.5	20.5	21.4	-4.2
Telecommunications	9.8	10.1	10.2	-3.9
Financial Activities	71.1	71.1	72.9	-2.5
Finance and Insurance	51.7	51.6	53.0	-2.5
Credit Intermediation & Related Activities	18.8	19.0	20.2	-6.9
Securities, Commodity Contracts, Investments	10.0	10.0	10.0	0.0
Insurance Carriers & Related Activities	21.6	21.6	21.5	0.5
Insurance Carriers	13.6	13.5	13.7	-0.7
Real Estate & Rental & Leasing	19.4	19.5	19.9	-2.5
Professional and Business Services	184.3	182.5	175.6	5.0
Professional, Scientific, & Technical Services	103.9	103.8	103.0	0.9
Architectural, Engineering, & Related Services	19.3	19.5	19.1	1.0
Computer Systems Design & Related Services	27.9	27.8	26.3	6.1
Scientific Research & Development	12.5	12.5	12.4	0.8
Administrative & Support Services	71.2	71.0	65.1	9.4
Employment Services	22.0	21.4	20.3	8.4
Services to Buildings & Dwellings	18.4	19.0	17.6	4.5
Educational & Health Care & Social Assistance	240.0	238.0	234.6	2.3
Educational Services	55.1	53.4	54.2	1.7
Health Care & Social Assistance	184.9	184.6	180.4	2.5
Ambulatory Health Care Services	55.8	55.4	54.2	3.0
Offices of Physicians	23.0	22.9	22.7	1.3
Hospitals	69.4	69.6	68.5	1.3
Nursing & Resident Care Facilities	34.7	34.7	33.5	3.6
Social Assistance	25.0	24.9	24.2	3.3
Leisure & Hospitality	103.8	104.1	102.5	1.3
Amusement, Gambling, & Recreation Industries	11.0	11.0	10.2	7.8
Accommodation & Food Services	89.3	89.5	88.0	1.5
Food Services and Drinking Places	80.3	80.6	79.5	1.0
Other Services	54.1	54.6	53.7	0.7
Government	229.0	223.0	231.5	-1.1
Federal Government	47.9	47.6	46.2	3.7
State Government	73.7	69.3	72.0	2.4
Local Government	107.4	106.1	113.3	-5.2

**Includes Baltimore City, and the counties of Anne Arundel, Baltimore, Carroll, Harford, Howard, and Queen Anne's.

Nonagricultural Payroll Employment*
By Industry By Place of Employment (in thousands)
MD Portion Bethesda-Frederick-Rockville, MD Metropolitan Division**
February 2011

Industry	Feb 2011	Jan 2011r	Feb 2010	Percent Change Feb 2010-Feb 2011
Total Nonfarm	558.8	557.6	541.1	3.3
Total Private	455.6	456.8	439.9	3.6
Goods Producing	46.0	46.4	45.2	1.8
Natural Resources, Mining & Construction	29.1	29.4	28.3	2.8
Specialty Trade Contractors	16.6	16.7	16.6	0.0
Manufacturing	16.9	17.0	16.9	0.0
Service-Providing	512.8	511.2	495.9	3.4
Private Service Providing	409.6	410.4	394.7	3.8
Trade, Transportation, Warehousing, Utilities	75.4	76.3	72.9	3.4
Wholesale Trade	14.1	14.1	13.9	1.4
Retail Trade	55.0	55.8	52.9	4.0
Food & Beverage Stores	13.5	13.3	12.8	5.5
General Merchandise Stores	8.7	9.1	8.5	2.4
Department Stores	7.3	7.7	7.0	4.3
Transportation, Warehousing, & Utilities	6.3	6.4	6.1	3.3
Information	15.0	15.0	15.0	0.0
Telecommunications	5.9	6.4	5.8	1.7
Financial Activities	40.8	41.1	41.2	-1.0
Finance and Insurance	29.4	29.3	29.4	0.0
Credit Intermediation & Related Activities	12.2	12.2	12.4	-1.6
Insurance Carriers	8.1	8.0	8.1	0.0
Professional and Business Services	122.5	122.5	119.3	2.7
Professional, Scientific, & Technical Services	75.9	76.1	76.8	-1.2
Computer Systems Design & Related Services	21.5	21.5	21.4	0.5
Scientific Research & Development	16.2	16.2	16.0	1.3
Administrative & Support Services	35.9	36.0	34.7	3.5
Employment Services	9.3	9.1	8.6	8.1
Services to Buildings & Dwellings	14.4	14.6	13.9	3.6
Educational & Health Care & Social Assistance	80.7	80.5	74.4	8.5
Health Care & Social Assistance	66.7	67.0	62.5	6.7
Ambulatory Health Care Services	27.6	27.5	26.0	6.2
Offices of Physicians	11.3	11.3	10.6	6.6
Hospitals	13.2	13.2	12.8	3.1
Leisure & Hospitality	45.2	45.0	41.9	7.9
Accommodation & Food Services	37.7	38.0	35.7	5.6
Food Services and Drinking Places	34.0	33.9	31.7	7.3
Other Services	30.0	30.0	30.0	0.0
Government	103.2	100.8	101.2	2.0
Federal Government	49.8	49.8	47.7	4.4

**Includes Frederick and Montgomery Counties, MD

Nonagricultural Payroll Employment*
By Industry By Place of Employment (in thousands)
MD Portion DC-VA-MD-WV Metropolitan Division**
February 2011

Industry	Feb 2011	Jan 2011r	Feb 2010	Percent Change Feb 2010-Feb 2011
Total Nonfarm	369.9	365.6	363.8	1.7
Total Private	263.7	264.3	258.5	2.0
Goods Producing	37.7	37.9	38.9	-3.1
Natural Resources, Mining & Construction	27.6	27.8	28.5	-3.2
Specialty Trade Contractors	23.2	23.3	22.1	5.0
Manufacturing	10.1	10.1	10.4	-2.9
Service-Providing	332.2	327.7	324.9	2.2
Private Service Providing	226.0	226.4	219.6	2.9
Trade, Transportation, Warehousing, Utilities	74.3	75.1	71.7	3.6
Wholesale Trade	11.6	11.6	11.8	-1.7
Retail Trade	48.8	49.3	46.3	5.4
Food & Beverage Stores	12.3	12.2	11.4	7.9
General Merchandise Stores	9.0	9.4	8.4	7.1
Department Stores	7.0	7.3	6.5	7.7
Transportation, Warehousing, & Utilities	13.9	14.2	13.6	2.2
Information	3.7	3.6	3.9	-5.1
Telecommunications	1.7	1.8	1.9	-10.5
Financial Activities	13.8	13.8	14.0	-1.4
Finance and Insurance	7.5	7.5	7.6	-1.3
Professional and Business Services	45.7	45.6	46.4	-1.5
Professional, Scientific, & Technical Services	24.8	24.6	25.1	-1.2
Administrative & Support Services	19.5	19.3	19.2	1.6
Educational & Health Care & Social Assistance	38.1	38.2	37.1	2.7
Health Care & Social Assistance	35.2	35.1	33.8	4.1
Ambulatory Health Care Services	13.7	13.7	13.3	3.0
Hospitals	7.9	7.9	7.9	0.0
Leisure & Hospitality	35.3	35.0	31.6	11.7
Accommodation & Food Services	30.0	30.0	28.6	4.9
Other Services	15.1	15.1	14.9	1.3
Government	106.2	101.3	105.3	0.9
Federal Government	29.9	30.0	29.0	3.1

**Includes Calvert, Charles and Prince George's Counties, MD

Nonagricultural Payroll Employment*
By Industry By Place of Employment (in thousands)
MD Portion Hagerstown-Martinsburg, MD-WV MSA**
February 2011

Industry	Feb 2011	Jan 2011r	Feb 2010	Percent Change Feb 2010-Feb 2011
Total Nonfarm	95.1	95.4	94.5	0.6
Total Private	76.6	77.0	75.7	1.2
Goods Producing	11.5	11.6	11.4	0.9
Natural Resources & Construction	3.8	3.8	3.8	0.0
Manufacturing	7.7	7.8	7.6	1.3
Service-Providing	83.6	83.8	83.1	0.6
Private Service Providing	65.1	65.4	64.3	1.2
Trade, Transportation, Warehousing, Utilities	21.8	22.2	21.2	2.8
Retail Trade	14.0	14.3	14.2	-1.4
Information	2.3	2.3	2.2	4.5
Financial Activities	7.2	7.2	7.2	0.0
Professional and Business Services	7.1	7.1	7.3	-2.7
Administrative & Support Services	3.7	3.7	3.6	2.8
Educational & Health Care & Social Assistance	14.4	14.4	14.1	2.1
Leisure & Hospitality	8.7	8.6	8.6	1.2
Other Services	3.6	3.6	3.7	-2.7
Government	18.5	18.4	18.8	-1.6

**Includes Washington County, MD

Nonagricultural Payroll Employment*
By Industry By Place of Employment (in thousands)
Baltimore City***
February 2011

Industry	Feb 2011	Jan 2011r	Feb 2010	Percent Change Feb 2010-Feb 2011
Total Nonfarm	346.1	341.9	345.4	0.2
Total Private	263.4	262.3	261.7	0.6
Goods Producing	21.3	21.4	22.0	-3.2
Natural Resources, Mining & Construction	8.7	8.8	9.0	-3.3
Manufacturing	12.6	12.6	13.0	-3.1
Service-Providing	324.8	320.5	323.4	0.4
Private Service Providing	242.1	240.9	239.7	1.0
Trade, Transportation, Warehousing, Utilities	35.9	36.2	35.3	1.7
Wholesale Trade	7.9	8.0	8.0	-1.3
Retail Trade	14.9	14.8	15.0	-0.7
Transportation, Warehousing, & Utilities	13.1	13.4	12.3	6.5
Information	4.0	4.0	4.0	0.0
Financial Activities	16.8	16.8	17.9	-6.1
Finance and Insurance	12.5	12.5	13.4	-6.7
Credit Intermediation & Related Activities	4.5	4.5	4.7	-4.3
Professional and Business Services	36.8	36.7	36.7	0.3
Professional, Scientific, & Technical Services	18.0	18.0	19.0	-5.3
Administrative & Support Services	17.6	17.6	17.0	3.5
Educational & Health Care & Social Assistance	109.4	108.1	107.1	2.1
Educational Services	36.6	35.6	36.1	1.4
Health Care & Social Assistance	72.8	72.5	71.0	2.5
Hospitals	44.5	44.5	43.5	2.3
Leisure & Hospitality	22.4	22.3	22.0	1.8
Other Services	16.8	16.8	16.7	0.6
Government	82.7	79.6	83.7	-1.2
Federal Government	10.2	10.2	10.4	-1.9
State Government	45.5	42.5	44.8	1.6
Local Government	27.0	26.9	28.5	-5.3

Nonagricultural Payroll Employment*
By Industry By Place of Employment (in thousands)
Salisbury, MD Metropolitan Statistical Area**
February 2011

Industry	Feb 2011	Jan 2011r	Feb 2010	Percent Change Feb 2010-Feb 2011
Total Nonfarm	52.7	50.7	50.8	3.7
Total Private	40.9	40.2	39.0	4.9
Goods Producing	6.3	6.3	6.3	0.0
Service-Providing	46.4	44.4	44.5	4.3
Private Service Providing	34.6	33.9	32.7	5.8
Government	11.8	10.5	11.8	0.0

**Includes Somerset and Wicomico Counties

*The count is of jobs, not workers. It includes full and part-time wage earners employed during the pay period including the 12th of the month.

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***Baltimore City estimates also represent a share of the Balto.-Towson, MSA estimates & are inclusive with those estimates.

NOTE: Data are not seasonally adjusted. Figures may not add to totals due to rounding, estimating, & exclusion of some NAICS.

BUSINESS NEWS

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WARN Notifications

Reflect advance notifications of plant closings and mass layoffs filed by employers with 100 or more employees, not counting employees who work less than 6 months in the last 12 month period and not counting employees who work an average of less than 20 hours per week.

February 2011

Area	Employer	Total Employees Impacted	Effective Date
Somerset County	LFC Agricultural Svcs.	103	2/1/2011

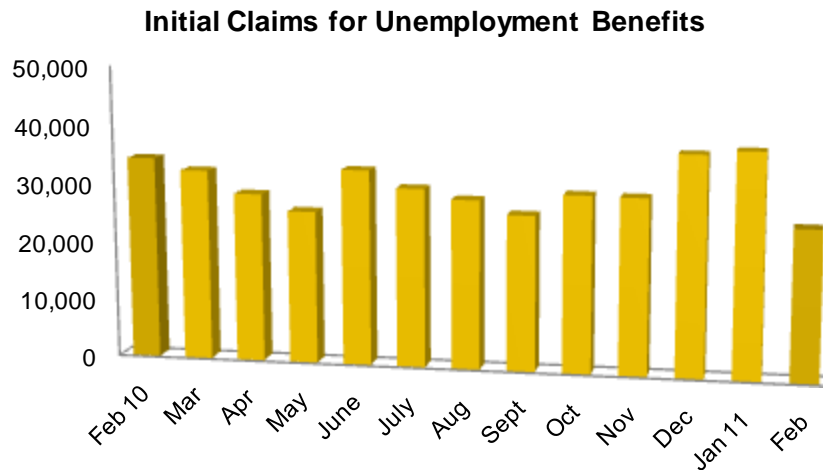
↑ **In the News**

- Johns Hopkins University announced plans to build a new lacrosse facility. April 23rd has been set for the groundbreaking and construction is slated to begin in June, with a planned completion date in early 2012.
- Wal-Mart announced plans to open a superstore in the Liberty Plaza shopping center in Randallstown. The store, which is expected to open in mid-2012, will create about 350 jobs.
- Gino's Burgers, a drive-in food establishment popular in the 1960's and 70's is coming back. Ten locations in the Baltimore Area are expected to open, with opening dates beginning this fall.
- Daniels Sharpsmart, Inc., a medical waste disposal company serving hospitals, clinics and medical and dental facilities in the Maryland, Washington, Delaware and Pennsylvania, opened a facility in East Baltimore. According to a company release, the facility expects to add up to 35 jobs over the next few years.
- Grilled Cheese Co., which currently has restaurant in Catonsville, plans to expand, hoping to open franchises in throughout the Baltimore Metro Area. A second location, which is expected to employ about 30 part-time employees, is slated to open in Carroll County in early April.

↓ **In the News**

- Perdue Farms, located in Salisbury, announced plans to lay off approximately 100 workers in March. The work being performed by the laid off workers is expected to be outsourced to a contractor being utilized at their Delaware and Virginia processing plants.
- Borders announced the closing of three stores located in Maryland's D.C. suburbs. No information was released on the number of employees impacted by the planned closings.
- Acme closed its last remaining store in Harford County. An announcement was made shortly after the closing that an independent food chain had leased the location and would be opening in the spring.

UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION – FEBRUARY 2011



UNEMPLOYMENT INDICATORS – FEBRUARY 2011

Initial Claims	25,574	Average Weekly Benefit Amount	\$322.31
First Payments	12,999	Benefits Paid	\$75,189,348
Weeks Claimed	294,288	Final Payments	5,406
Weeks Compensated	239,255	Unemployment Trust Fund Balance as of February 28, 2011	\$110,936,506.96

Source: U.S. DOL, ETA & Maryland Depart. of Labor, Licensing and Regulation

- Initial claims filings, which characteristically decline in February, fell by 32.6% over-the-month to 25,574 -- their lowest level since September 2008.
- Following a substantial increase in January, the number of weeks claimed declined by nearly 63,000, or by 17.6% in February. About 81.2% of all weeks claimed resulted in compensation in February, up slightly from January's payment ratio of 80.6.
- Payments averaged \$322.31 per week in February, resulting in a Trust Fund expenditure of nearly \$75.3M. At the end of February, the Trust Fund balance stood at just over \$110.9M, down from January's closing balance of approximately \$154.7M.
- Just over 5,400 final payments were issued in February, down by just over 30% from previous month's total and about 20.3% below those of a year ago.